Docket No. 50269-0562

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: Confirmation No.: 7849

Bruce Karsh et al Examiner: Kesha Frisby

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REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed November 26, 2008, the statutory period for which runs until February 26, 2009, please reconsider the subject application in light of the remarks herein.

• **Remarks** begin on page 2.